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# DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)

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Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

HEDDLE FRAME AND WEAVING MACHINE EQUIPPED WITH SAME

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto

OR

☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 07/19/2004 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number PCT/FR2004/001910 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

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